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The Applicant thanks Examiner Longbit for the telephone interview granted on January 26, 2007 with Applicant's representative Mr. Robert B. Madden. During the telephone interview, amendments to claims 14-16 were discussed. The cancellation of claims 17-20 was also discussed.

Examiner Longbit requested authorization to make an Examiner's Amendments to amend claim 14 to depend from independent claim 1, to revise "a receiver" to "at least one of the number of receivers," in claim 14, to amend the preambles of claims 15 and 16 to "The system of claim 14," and to cancel claims 17-20. Attorney Madden granted authorization for the proposed amendments to claims 14-16 and for the cancellation of claims 17-20. A Notice of Allowance mailed February 28, 2007 was subsequently received.

Applicant's subsequently contacted Examiner Longbit on March 14, 2007 and requested that an Information Disclosure Statement originally submitted with the application be signed off by the Examiner. A Supplemental Notice of Allowability mailed March 19, 2007 and including a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement originally submitted with the application and signed off by Examiner Longbit was subsequently received.

Examiner Longbit is invited to telephone the applicant's representative at (612) 371-2132 if any further questions remain. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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